BEFORE RAYMOND J. DEARIE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

CRIMINAL CAUSE FOR SENTENCE

DATE: JANUARY 25, 2010 FROM 2:00PM TO 2:40PM

DOCKET NUMBER: CR 06-615(S-2)-03 (RJD)

U.S.A. -v- THIRUTHANIKAN THANIGASALAM (IN CUSTODY)

COUNSEL: LEE GINSBERG (RETAINED)

AUSA: MARSHAL MILLER & ANDREW GOLDSMITH

COURTREPORTER: HENRY SHAPIRO

- X CASE CALLED FOR SENTENCE.
- X COURT ACCEPTED PLEA OF GUILTY ON 1/27/09 TO COUNTS 2, 3, 4, 5 OF A FIVE COUNT SUPERSEDING INDICTMENT(S-2).
- X **DEFENDANT IS SENTENCED AS FOLLOWS:** DEFENDANT IS HEREBY COMMITTED TO THE CUSTODY OF THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF PRISONS TO BE IMPRISONED FOR A TOTAL TERM OF: TWENTY-FIVE(25) YEARS AS FOLLOWS: COUNTS 2, 3: FIFTEEN(15) YEARS TO RUN CONCURRENTLY WITH **EACH OTHER**; COUNTS 4, 5: TWENTY-FIVE(25) YEARS TO RUN CONCURRENTLY WITH EACH OTHER AND WITH THE SENTENCES IMPOSED ON **COUNTS 2 AND 3.** IF CONSISTENT WITH THE BUREAU OF PRISONS POLICIES PRACTICES AND GUIDELINES, THE COURT STRONGLY RECOMMENDS THAT THE DEFENDANT BE DESIGNATED TO A FACILITY AS CLOSE TO THE CANADIAN BORDER AS POSSIBLE. THE COURT FURTHER INVITES CONSIDERATION OF FCI RAYBROOK AND URGES DESIGNATION OF DEFENDANT AND DEFENDANT'S CO-DEFENDANT, HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW SAHILAL SABARATNAM TO THE SAME FACILITY.
- X UPON RELEASE FROM CUSTODY, THE DEFENDANT SHALL BE ON SUPERVISED RELEASE FOR A TERM OF FIVE(5) YEARS.

 SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISED RELEASE:
- X \$400 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT
- X UPON MOTION OF AUSA, ALL OPEN COUNTS, DISMISSED.
- X DEFENDANT ADVISED OF RIGHT TO APPEAL.